00005-14-0023



ORIGINAL Arizona Corporation Commiss **Utilities Complaint Form**

Investigator: Tom Davis

Phone: <<< REDACTED >>>

Opinion Date: 1/26/2016

Opinion Number: 2016 - 128549

Priority: Respond within 5 business days

Opinion Codes: Rate Case Items - Opposed

Closed Date: 1/26/2016 9:45 AM

First Name: Rov

Last Name: Schwartz

Account Name: Roy Schwartz

City: Tucson

Address: <<< REDACTED >>>

State: AZ

Zip Code: 85749

Home: <<< REDACTED >>>

Email: <<< REDACTED >>>

Company: Tucson Electric Power Company

Nature Of Opinion

Docket Position: Against

I am a customer of TEP with an existing grid connected 6 KW DG system. I had the DG system installed in May 2015. Purchasing this system represented a substantial personal financial investment with a long term financial payback implications, which was an agreement between TEP and myself. It was my understanding that it helps TEP by offsetting additional investment to add fossil fuel based generating capacity, thereby helping air quality in Arizona. This is part of a national priority encouraged by both Federal and State governments. Changing this financial arrangement, diminishing the value of my DG system now would represent substantial financial hardship to me and discourage future investment in DG harming the environment. Also, this proposed change to metering would represent a huge step backwards for Arizona and the environment and a huge setback for the Arizona solar power generation industry. Arizona should be the national leader in solar power generation. It will be an embarrassment for the state is this proceeds. Just a terrible idea all around.

Investigation

Date:

Analyst:

Submitted By:

Type:

1/26/2016

Tom Davis

Telephone

Investigation

Entered for the record and docketed. CLOSED

Arizona Corporation Commission DOCKETED

JAN **26 2016**

DOCKETED BY